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S E C R E T KUALA LUMPUR 3920

CINCPAC FOR POLAD

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: XO, PARM, MY
SUBJECT: US-SOVIET WORKING GROUP ON THE INDIAN OCEAN

REF: STATE 142360

1. IN ADDITION TO AMBASSADOR MILLER'S INTRODUCTORY CALL
ON FOREIGN MINISTER RITHAUDDEEN DURING WHICH SUBJECT OF
US-USSR INDIAN OCEAN TALKS WAS ALSO RAISED, POLOFF
PRESENTED THE POINTS IN PARAS 5,6,7 AND 8 REFTEL TO
PRINCIPAL ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR EUROPE AND THE AMERICAS
M.M. SATHIAH, AND LEFT AN INFORMAL
TALKING PAPER ON THE SUBJECT.

2. SATHIAH CAREFULLY NOTED THAT THE GOM WELCOMES THIS
AND ANY MOVE TOWARD DEMILITARIZATION OF THE INDIAN OCEAN
AND FEELS THAT THE GREAT POWERS HAVE A RESPONSIBILITY
TO MODERATE THE ARMS RACE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

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AT THE SAME HE SAID THE GOM WELCOMES
THE ASSURANCES THAT THE MOSCOW TALKS WILL
NOT ADVERSELY AFFECT THE SECURITY INTERESTS
OF THE US, THE USSR OR THE LITTORAL STATES AND
THAT ANY AGREEMENT WILL NOT RESULT IN A RELATIVE
INCREASE IN THE SOVIET POSITION AND INFLUENCE IN
THE AREA.

3. SEE SEPTTEL FOR PARALLEL REMARKS OF FOREIGN
MINISTER RITHAUDDEEN ON THIS SUBJECT.
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Message Attributes

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